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## PIONEER DAY CELEBRATION

Observance of the Day in Cedar City Calls Forth Much Favorable Comment.

### PARADE WAS PLEASING FEATURE OF EXERCISES

A Number of Visitors From Other Parts of County, but Not so Many as Were Expected.

It appears to be the consensus of opinion that the celebration of the 24th, Pioneer Day, in Cedar City last Monday was a pronounced success. From the parade in the morning to the grand ball at night, everything went off smoothly, and the great majority of the people appear to feel that they obtained their money's worth.

The parade, representing the evolution of travel, was especially meritorious, there being a number of very beautiful and ingenious floats. The five dollar prize offered by the committee was divided between the Beehive and sago lily floats, the former being prepared under the direction of Mr. Frank Wilson. The purse offered for the best decorated bicycle was also divided, being placed 50-50 on the wheels decorated and ridden by Henry Webster and Miss Alice Higbee.

There was represented in the procession, also, the primitive hand-cart, between the shafts of which a goodly number of the Mormon pioneers crossed the great plains to the valleys of the Rockies, the early ox-team, which also played an important part in the immigration to this country, the natives, with their primitive mode of travel, a huge freight truck load of "Utah's best crop"—the children, a company of Boy Scouts, in uniform and bearing arms, clowns on burros and bicycles, some elaborate floats by local business houses, etc. All together, the parade for an inland community was very creditable.

The blasting on the mountain side created quite a little commotion, and raised clouds of dust which momentarily resembled the outbreak of a young volcano.

The Parowan band, under the direction of Mr. Eckles was present and mingled with the Cedar City band members at the head of the procession.

The tabernacle was thronged to the doors with people at the morning meeting, which was pithy and full of interest from start to finish.

Attorney Chas. G. Y. Higgins was orator of the day, and delivered an interesting and patriotic address.

Mrs. J. U. Webster gave a very interesting reading.

There were two selections by the Cedar City double mixed quartet, and other musical numbers were a solo, "The Flag Without a Stain" by Miss Pearl Urie, and a chorus by the Beehive Girls.

E. J. Palmer acted as chaplain.

The exercises were short, but pithy, which was quite agreeable to the assembly, as the building was crowded and the weather quite warm.

The principal feature of the afternoon sports was the ball games. The Parowan Boy Scouts, in a game commencing at 1 p. m., defeated the Cedar City Boy Scouts nine.

The first two or three innings of the ball game between Cedar City and Lund teams was fairly even, although slightly in favor of the boys from the dry farming section; but then the Cedar team grew nervous and lost their balance, with the result that the boys from Lund waltzed home the victors on a score of 9 to 1. It is a long time since we have seen the local bunch play as poor ball. With only one or two exceptions, the whole team appeared to be on the bum. We believe it will have a good effect, however, as it will make the boys know that if they expect to win back and hold the championship of even this county, they will have to "ginger up" and "play ball."

The lads from Lund certainly put up a strong match and gave evidence of a thorough knowledge of the game. After the ball game there was an automobile race commencing about half way down the West lane and ending in front of W. H. Corry's residence on First North street. There

were only two contestants, a Maxwell and a Ford, the former driven by Mr. Ashton of Salt Lake City and the latter by Percy Wilkinson of this city. The Ford driven by Wilkinson won by a lead of a few paces.

At 3 o'clock the old people were collected and taken to the B. A. C. campus, where they were entertained in accordance with the program published in our last issue, and a good time was reported.

The ball in the evening was well attended, there being quite a number of visitors present from other parts of the county, though not so many as were expected.

### SEE PARLEY DALLEY FOR LIVING ACCOMMODATIONS.

Students and other persons desiring accommodations for the winter should see or address Mr. Parley Dalley, Cedar City, Utah; and persons having rooms to rent, desiring boarders or having other accommodations to offer should report same to Mr. Dalley, who will be intrusted with the work of handling this matter.

Mr. Dalley states that while it is imperative that all the people who can furnish accommodations for students and others who desire to come here for the winter, still he does not anticipate any serious famine for accommodations, and he feels certain that he will be able to supply the demands.

Owing to the addition of one year of college work, it is expected that there will be a record attendance at the school this year, and everything looks propitious for an exceptionally interesting and successful school year.

Students coming here from the surrounding districts will receive a hearty welcome from the townspeople, as well as the faculty and resident students.

## IDAHO CITIZENS DEFEND HIGGINS

Certify to Good Character, Forcefulness and Success of Attorney While Public Prosecutor.

Some few weeks since an article was printed in an Idaho weekly paper of Bear Lake county, and given more or less circulation in this judicial district, reflecting upon the legal attainments of Attorney Will B. Higgins, who was county attorney one term of that county and who is now a candidate for the district attorneyship of this the Fifth district. The matter being brought to the attention of Mr. Higgins, he wrote to some of the prominent people of Paris, Idaho, at which place he had his residence, for a statement of the true conditions respecting his tenure in office, and the following sworn statement was the result:

"State of Idaho, County of Bear Lake, ss.

"We, the undersigned, hereby certify as follows:

"That we are and have been for several years acquainted with William B. Higgins. That for about two years he was county attorney of Bear Lake county, Idaho, and that during that time he made his home in Paris, Idaho. That Mr. Higgins was a progressive attorney of good character and habits. That he was forceful and successful in his work as county attorney and did much good in reducing the liquor traffic to a minimum in our county. That he was always interested in local problems for the good of the general community and was always on hand to take any step to promote the moral standards of the county.

"We regard him as being in that class of young men out of which any community could well afford to choose and ought to choose their leaders and officers. During the time that Mr. Higgins lived in our county from May 9th, 1910, until the end of 1912, he was busy in his field of work and was never afraid to take a stand for that which was right nor to lend his time and assistance to any good institution.

Signed:

"Alfred Hart, superintendent of schools.

"Roy A. Walker, prin. Fielding Academy.

"Edwin McClane, abstractor.

"S. H. Kier, treasurer.

"Joel H. Right, ex-sheriff.

"Russell Shepherd, cashier Bear Lake State Bank.

"W. E. Ballantine, assistant cashier.

"F. L. Shepherd, mayor.

"H. H. Broomhead, county clerk.

"Joseph R. Shepherd, merchant.

"W. R. Holmes, editor Paris Post."

J. C. Carpenter of Glendale spent the 24th in Cedar City. He states that he will move the family back here for the school year about the middle of next month.

## MODERN HOSPITAL FOR CEDAR CITY

Dr. A. N. Leonard Closes Deal for Palatial Residence of Pres. U. T. Jones.

### CONSIDERATION SAID TO BE TEN THOUSAND

A Few Minor Alterations Will Make it Ideal in Every Respect for Hospital Purposes.

An important real estate deal has just been consummated by which the Southern Utah Hospital, owned and directed by Dr. A. N. Leonard, will secure a magnificent home. The property secured is the palatial residence erected a few years since by Pres. U. T. Jones, and which has been found to be too large and expensive for his requirements.

With only a few minor alterations the building will be ideal for hospital purposes and will give the local institution a home that will place it in a class by itself compared with the other country hospitals of this state.

The change in management will go into effect within the next few days, as soon as the details of the transaction can be worked out, and the new home will soon be furnished and put in shape for use.

Dr. Leonard, the ruling figure, has already built up a considerable reputation for his surgical work, which has been attended with unusual success, and with this splendid home for his institution, and with his X-ray and other up-to-date equipment, should fill a big need in the southern part of the state, it being no longer necessary to go to Salt Lake for even major surgery of any of the commoner varieties.

The building just acquired is easily the peer of any residence property in this county, and probably this would also apply to the southern end of the state. It is strictly modern, especially substantial, and most conveniently arranged. The building is surrounded by a tract of seven acres of ground, which will be especially welcome and valuable to convalescing patients.

That Mr. Jones should consent to give up the magnificent property is a surprise to all his friends and to the public generally. The only explanation given is that the mansion was too large for his family and needs. It is understood that the consideration is to be \$10,000.00.

Mattson is a Candidate.

We are in receipt of a communication this morning from Secretary of State David Mattson, officially advising us that he is a candidate to succeed himself in the office he now holds. So far as we know Mr. Mattson has been a good conscientious official, and should the plum fall to him again, we feel sure that he will be found in the full discharge of his duty in the future as he has in the past.

There will be at least three candidates before the Republican state convention for this office.

J. F. Delaney, traveling traffic agent for the American Express company, residing at Sacramento, California, was in Cedar City last week en route to Washington county to look into the feasibility of making shipments of Dixie fruits and other products by express via Lund, Utah. Mr. Delaney said that the express companies were in a more prosperous condition since the parcel post law went into effect than they were before. He said that while the parcel post business had cut into them in some of the inland districts that they were very willing to be relieved of this part of their business, which had never been profitable, and that on the other hand their business along the railroads had increased materially.

## SPRY DEFEATED WELLS ON THIRD TERM IN RACE 1904.

(From Sandy City Star.)

It would be rather amusing reading if Governor William Spry would explain to the public why he has so abruptly changed fronts and is now willing to accept and fight for the obnoxious third term as governor of the state of Utah when in 1904 he was stumping the state as one of the most prominent speakers in the Republican ranks denouncing the third term which Heber M. Wells was aspiring for at that time.

His stand at that time was very pronounced and highly patriotic in favor of the glorious principles of "equal rights to all and special privileges to none" and there are those who vividly recall the emphatic denunciation of a man whose principles of true Americanism were so corrupted as to be aspiring for a third term as governor, when precedent had established the second term as ample and the limit of true American endurance.

One really wonders if Governor Spry has not been a faithful student of Woodrow Wilson and is now following his example and aspiring for the important position he once denounced.

Wilson was elected on a platform which was pledged to a single term for the president of the United States, but the glare of public position and the prestige it brings has reversed his one-time positive pledge and he now stands for a second term, which he once deplored.

Governor William Spry stands in a similar position. He has completely reversed himself and is fighting for the third term which the people of the state of Utah abhor.

We do not believe that the people of this fair state have become so careless of their rights and privileges that they will stand for William Spry for a third term and there is another thing that we are certain they will not stand for. And that is to give Bill Spry another opportunity to beat them out of state-wide prohibition.

## ATTENDANCE OF 1200 IS PREDICTED

Officers in Charge of Citizens' Training Camp at Fort Douglas See Big Success Ahead.

(Special to The Record.)

Salt Lake City, July 26, 1916.—War department officials are making preparations for an attendance of 1200 men at the Citizen's Military Training Camp to be held at Fort Douglas, Utah, August 21 to September 16. The enrollment now is more than 580 and officials in charge believe there will be little trouble in extending it to the 1200 mark, as nearly a month's time yet remains in which applications may be made.

When 580 had been enrolled, the success of the camp was assured, and General Bell and Captain John B. Murphy of Western Headquarters, War Department, started the department machinery in action with a view of making the Fort Douglas camp one of the best ever held in the United States.

Colonel Bell decided to send three companies of crack Coast Artillery from Calexico, Cal., on the border, to Fort Douglas, and their arrival is expected within a week to ten days. These troops will work with the citizen soldiers and will serve as models in manual of arms, marching and general tactics.

Citizens in the intermountain region, outside of Salt Lake, with the exception of some of the larger cities, such as Denver and Butte, are responding daily to the call for recruits.

Attendees at Camp will be furnished transportation, clothes, food and shelter. A deposit of \$15 only is required upon entrance to the camp, \$5 of which is returned in case there is no damage done to government property. Ten dollars goes toward extra rations and for the payment of kitchen help.

Enrollment blanks and information may be obtained by addressing S. Abbott Maginnis, managing director, Felt Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Date .....

E. H. MACFARLANE, Cedar City, Utah,—I hereby make application for entry as competitor in special contest at Iron County Fair.

Signed: .....

All entries must be in by August 10th.

## CHALMERS SIX-30 MAKES RECORD

Clips Three Hours From the Previous Road Record Between Dallas, Texas, and San Antonio.

Clipping over three hours from the best previous time between Dallas and San Antonio, a Chalmers Six-30 driven by W. W. Morris, Jr., of Dallas, Texas, has just hung up the fifth fastest national road record to be captured by a 3,400 R. P. M. Chalmers in the past month.

According to a wire received by Paul Smith, Vice-President of the Chalmers Selling Division, Morris' record was made under conditions so discouraging as to make fast traveling extremely dangerous.

"Checked out of Dallas by Clerk Fred Meyers of the Adolphus Hotel, we made the three hundred and two miles to San Antonio in nine hours and twenty-two minutes," read Morris' wire. "Arriving at San Antonio we were checked in by R. S. Israel, Auto Editor of the San Antonio Express, and found we had cut down the best previous road record by over three hours. In making this record, we beat the famous Katy Limited on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas line by one hour and thirty-three minutes. This is the fastest train running between the two points. Half of the distance was over black, muddy roads so rough that we thought the car would not stand up under the strain. Despite the terrific test, car and motor are in excellent shape and we can repeat the trip to-morrow. Trip has caused big sensation as our time was considered impossible over the country roads."

Just previous to the wire from Mr. Morris a dispatch was received from Jacksonville newspapers, carrying news of a new record from Atlanta, Ga., to Jacksonville, Fla., made by a Chalmers Six-30. The car was driven by Leman Phelan and Homer George and was the same machine which lowered the Atlanta Chattanooga road record two weeks ago. Phelan and George drove the 3,400 R. P. M. Chalmers over the 355 miles in 11 hours and 59 minutes elapsed time. Four passengers were carried on the trip. Heavy rain turned the roads into miniature lakes along the route and slowed up the car's time, as did several stops for tire repairs. The last fifty miles were made in a continuous downpour, through mud and slush, while eighty miles of deep sand between Waycross and Jacksonville interfered with fast traveling.

Among the remarkable features of the five new road records established by Chalmers Six-30's in the past month, is the uniform speed maintained under poor weather and road conditions. On the record breaking trip, Atlanta-Chattanooga and the two more recent southern road trips, an average speed of over 30 miles per hour has been achieved over a grand total of 2,137 miles of country roads and mountain trails.

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

Suggestions as to the Prevention of This Dreaded Disease.

(By Dr. R. R. Daniels.)

From everything that has been learned up to date of infantile paralysis, the disease is caused by a germ which finds lodgment in the mucous membrane of the nose and throat, and of the stomach and intestine. Here the germ multiplies rapidly and forms its poison; these poisons are taken up by the blood and carried to all parts of the body. The effect of these poisons upon nearly all parts of the body are no different from that of most other germ poisons, except that these poisons are particularly injurious to the nerve cells in the spinal cord, which govern the muscles of the limbs—particularly the lower limbs. In an attack of the disease the partial or complete destruction of these nerve cells takes place in a few hours, but the full effects are not apparent for several months.

Make the Child Disease-Proof.

Inasmuch as the germ of infantile paralysis seems to be disseminated by flies, a systematic extermination of these pests is important in the prevention of the disease. However, keeping the child in a high state of resistance, in the best of health, is of even greater importance. Germs attack only those whose disease-resisting powers are low; germs find a portal of entry in a weak spot in the body. In the case of infantile paralysis, the "weak spots" are the nose and throat, and the stomach and intestines. If we are to avoid this dread disease we must keep the child's air passages in healthy condition and keep the stomach and bowels in good shape. It is significant that this disease attacks children at the age when they are weaned and taken to the table and fed anything and everything. Avoiding colds, sore throats and catarrh in children by proper feeding and plenty of fresh air; and keeping the stomach and bowels in good condition through careful feeding will go a long way toward eliminating infantile paralysis.

## SPECIAL PREMIUMS FOR COUNTY FAIR

Liberal Prizes Announced by the Committee in Agriculture and Live Stock.

### RULES GOVERNING THE AWARDING OF THE SAME

Those Desiring to Enter Contest for Best Acre of Wheat or Corn Should Observe Dates of Entry.

Preparations for the County Fair are going forward with vigor, and the committee now feels warranted in assuring everybody attending a good time. Work is being pushed on the fair grounds, in the grading of the race track and the leveling of the base ball diamond, and the committee will have some excellent bill board space to sell to advertisers when they get their high board fence constructed, which will skirt the state public highway for some distance. Parties desiring reservations should address the general committee of the Iron County Fair.

With a view to stimulating interest in the Agricultural and Live Stock departments, announcement is being made of liberal special premiums, as shown by the following list, together with the rules applicable to the contest for these prizes:

Best five acres of dry land wheat, prize \$25.00.

Rule 1.—Land must be selected by owner and measured by committee appointed by Fair Committee. Hauling and threshing must be witnessed by said committee.

Rule 2.—One bushel of said wheat must be exhibited at County Fair.

Rule 3.—Wheat will be judged according to the official score card to be made public later.

For the Best acre of Dry Land Corn, \$50.

For the best acre of corn raised with high water only, \$50.

Rule 1.—Land must be selected by owner, measured and the yield estimated by a committee appointed by the Fair Committee.

Rule 2.—Best dozen ears of corn must be exhibited at County Fair.

Rule 3.—Corn will be judged according to an official score card to be published later.

For best one-half acre of Potatoes, of one variety, \$50.00.

Rule 1.—Land must be selected by owner, measured and yield estimated by committee appointed by the Fair Committee.

Rule 2.—Best dozen and bushel must be exhibited at County Fair.

Rule 3.—Potatoes will be judged according to the following score card: (To be published later.)

Special prizes in the Live Stock department will be given as follows:

Best draft colt (age considered) \$25.

Best Beef Calf (age considered) 25.

Best 2 Pigs (age considered) \$12.50.

Best Dairy Heifer " 12.50.

Best pen of two Lambs " 25.00.

The attention of our farmer friends is directed to the entry coupon to be found in this issue of The Record, for entering the contest for the best acre of corn or wheat. Special attention is called to the dates on which these entries close, so that no one desiring to compete may be shut out by the time limit. The prizes are liberal, and well worth striving for.

## Potash Report Issued.

The Geological Survey now has available for distribution its annual statement on potash salts for 1915, which also includes some simple tests to determine the presence of potash. The amount of potash salts imported for consumption into the United States during the year is given at 170,555,450 pounds, valued at \$3,765,224.

## Enter Now for Special Premiums.

In another part of this paper is printed a coupon intended for the use of farmers within the county desiring to enter in the contest for special cash premiums offered by the County Fair Committee for the best acre of corn or wheat, but in order to compete for these liberal prizes it is necessary that you make use of the coupon at once. These are among the best prizes that will be given at the fair, and the wide-awake agriculturist will not pass them up. At this writing there is only one entry, which means that those entering practically have a snap with so little competition. YOU had just as well be one of the favored ones, so get in at once. Full particulars may be obtained from the general committee, or from E. H. MacFarlane of the Agricultural committee.